

STATE FAIR MOST SUCCESSFUL YET

Cattle Exhibit by U. of M. Attracted Many Compliments.

CORN DISPLAY IS 'FINEST EVER

Agricultural Implements and Farm Products Shown in Abundance.

By a Staff Correspondent.

SEDALIA, Mo., Oct. 13.—Missouri's eighth annual State Fair, held here last week, marked the most successful exhibition of agricultural products and farm implements ever held in the "show me" state. With the exception of one day the weather was fine.

Under the management of John T. Stinson, Secretary of the State Fair Board, every detail was arranged to a system, and nearly all exhibits were in place on the opening day—something never before known in the history of the Fair.

The attractions other than the regular horse races and running races consisted of automobile races and acrobatic performers before the grand stand by the best troupes obtainable.

Corn Yield Improved.

In Missouri, corn is king, and the exhibit this year was more extensive and better than ever before. Some exhibits shown by counties were 300 per cent better this year in quality. This is strongly illustrative of the educative work being done in Missouri by the State Board of Agriculture and the Agricultural College in the teaching of better breeding of corn throughout the state by means of farmers' institutes, county fairs, and farm boys' encampments.

The "good roads" exhibit was extensive. Farmers in attendance from every part of the state took a deep interest in the exhibit, which included two model concrete culverts, a steel bridge, concrete piles, several types of road rollers and crushers, road drags and graders, and modern road machinery.

The sheep and swine entries were larger than ever before and the building for this exhibit was crowded beyond its limits. It is the only frame building on the grounds.

In the dairy department the exhibit of butter and cheese was not large, but it attracted favorable attention. The building contained decorated separator booths.

Prize Bossy Is There.

Of the dairy cattle only Jerseys and Holsteins and a few grades were shown. The University of Missouri Dairy Department had a good exhibit of some of its record Jerseys and Holsteins. Missouri's Chief Josephine, the state's record Holstein, entertained many admiring visitors. Her booth was decorated with forty-seven quart bottles full of milk standing in pyramidal form.

Pedro's Estrella, the World's record three-year old Jersey, owned by the University of Missouri, was also on exhibition and attracted many visitors, for her name has become famous.

The fat cattle made a splendid showing. There were curly haired Galloways,

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ATHLETIC NEWS

WANTED: A GOOD IOWA QUARTERBACK

Coach Catlin Seeking Field General For His New Offensive Play.

FOUR MEN ARE BEING TRIED

Scrimmage Practice is Held Against the Freshmen Behind Closed Gates.

Special Correspondence.

IOWA CITY, Ia., Oct. 13.—To find a quarterback to handle the new plays for Missouri next Saturday is the aim of the Iowa coaches at present. Long scrimmage practice against the Freshmen behind closed gates has been the program the last week. Practically every evening Coach Catlin has used each of his four quarterbacks, Stewart, Carberry, Bruggeman and Bemis, but a field general fit to handle the newly devised offense is still wanting.

The weak spot of the 1907 eleven was at quarterback. Stewart and Bruggeman played hard, conscientious football but were handicapped by lack of experience. Neither has shown marked signs of improvement this fall and their playing is below the standard of the rest of the team.

Weak on Forward Pass.

Early in the scrimmage practice Coach Catlin, after a slight injury to Stewart's knee, transferred Carberry to quarterback. He showed up in good form on everything but the forward passes, in which he was called upon to shoot the pigskin to the ends. Here was his weakness as well as a lack of general knowledge concerning the position. Bemis has caught punts in better form than any of the other candidates but his running of the backs has not been up to either Stewart's or Carberry's form.

Without a good director of his new plays, Coach Catlin feels that the offense against the Tigers will not be so effective as it would otherwise be. His anxiety caused him Wednesday night to shut the gates of Iowa Field and give the players almost an hour's continuous scrimmage, trying out all four of the quarterbacks and both fullbacks, Cobb and McDonald.

Six Men for Tackles.

Other tryouts have been given the players. Six men have been tried daily in the tackle positions with the chances favoring Connor and Stutsman though Johnson played gritty football against the 1912 team. There are three candidates for right end, Hyland, Perrine and Hanlon, with the odds in favor of Hyland, a basketball player, skilful in handling the forward pass.

Every effort is being made to settle the lineup so that team play may be worked up to a high point before the eleven departs for Columbia.

red, white and roan Shorthorns, long haired and ivory-horned Herefords, and Aberdeen Angus with slick, shiny coats. Some good types of grade cattle were also exhibited.

The horse and mule department exhibited some fine animals. Armour's six-team tandem was on exhibition.

Coach and saddle horses, also mules, were the finest show animals ever exhibited at a Missouri State Fair.

In the Arts Building there was the usual large display of textiles and the pantry exhibit was much larger than in previous years.

Agricultural Display Extensive.

The display of all lines of Agricultural Machinery at Missouri State Fair was one of the largest and there was more big machinery exhibited this year than usual. Steam gang plows turning twenty furrows at a time, such as are used on western ranches, were in actual operation daily on the grounds.

The International Harvester Company had a complete exhibit of gasoline engines and all kinds of harvesting machinery.

The gasoline engines exhibited by all companies probably numbered seventy-five and gave the farmers an exceptional opportunity to "take his pick." The milking machine was exhibited this year by the John Deere Company, in a tent apart from the Dairy Building.

Exhibits Instructive.

As an educational institution the Missouri State Fair is instructive from start to finish. Everything sent to the State Fair represents the best that can be furnished in that line. This display of the State's best products arouses a desire to practice better methods constantly in order that the farmers may achieve the highest degree of success.

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ONE OF THE TIGERS' STERLING LINE MEN



"BUSTER" CAROTHERS.

"RED" MORROW IS BASEBALL CAPTAIN

Left-Fielder is Chosen by Secret Ballot to Head 'Varsity Team.

S. R. ("Red") Morrow, of Carthage, Mo., who for the last two years has played an almost errorless game in left field on the 'Varsity baseball team, was elected captain of the team at a meeting of the last year's "M" men last night. The players present were Gibson, Gundlach, Nee, Graves, Lhamon, Alexander, Williams and Morrow. The ballot was secret.

Coach Lowman was present and talked about baseball with the team.

Morrow said the team next spring will be a winner if all the good players in school qualify under the eligibility rules. He added that if the Tigers "eat up" the Jayhawkers on the gridiron this fall, the good work would continue on the diamond.

HIGH SCHOOL TEAM SWAMPED AT MEXICO

Local Boys Defeated by Military Academy, Score 32 to 0.

The Columbia High School football team was defeated yesterday at Mexico by the Missouri Military Academy, 32 to 0.

The local team was outclassed and outweighed and was handicapped by a mile and a half walk and dinner immediately before the game.

The high school boys' weakness was inability to keep the ball. They were not in possession of the ball more than one-fourth of the game.

Missouri Military Academy declined to play a return game.

The high school lineup was: DeVinne and Ketchum, ends; Quick, Whittaker and Dunbar, tackles; Morgenthaler and Bedford, guards; Hyde, center; Dysart, quarter; Thomas (capt.) and Howell, halfbacks; Wilkes, fullback.

BALKAN WAR CLOUD MAY SOON VANISH

Austria is Willing to Take Part in International Conference.

By United Press.

LONDON, Oct. 13.—The war cloud in the Balkans is believed to be disappearing. Austria today informed the foreign office here that she is willing to participate in an international conference to settle the squabble.

While Austria is determined to keep Bosnia-Herzegovina, she is willing to indemnify Turkey. This arrangement, it is thought, will satisfy all the powers involved.

BULGARIA THREATENS WAR UNLESS GRANTED FREEDOM

By United Press.

SOFIA, Oct. 13.—All the military reserves of Bulgaria have been called to arms. The new government insists that it will declare war against Turkey unless that country recognizes its independence within three days. The Bulgarians believe Turkey is playing a waiting game, hoping that the powers will intervene. They do not propose thus to be deprived of their independence.

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ANDERSON MAY BE OUT OF BIG GAME

"Easy" Re-sprains Ankle, and May Not Be in Shape Saturday.

IOWA PLAYERS WEAR HARNESS

Straps, Which Are Unfair, Enable Men to Pull Each Other Along.

While going home in the dark last night "Easy" Anderson slipped off the walk and fell, spraining his ankle. The result will be that he won't be able to play against Iowa next Saturday, unless he improves wonderfully.

Bluck is in better condition now and will be used in Saturday's game. "Red" Williams is not in condition and could not be used if he were, as it will require at least a week to learn the signals. He may be used in part of the game, but it is not likely, Coach Monilaw thinks.

The Tigers had secret practice last night for the first time. It will continue through the week.

Team Must Improve.

Coach Monilaw said this morning: "The team will have to improve twenty-five per cent to have a chance with Iowa. One of the players on the Iowa team was down here Saturday to see the game with Rolla and as he is probably in town now we had secret practice last evening and will continue to have it through the week. Until last Saturday we did not know Iowa's style of defense, and so we spent yesterday in changing our method of offense so as to meet it. The play tonight will be a kicking game and will be goal kicking, drop kicking, punting and blocking kicks.

"Iowa players are using something this year that is strictly against all the principles of fair and square football. They are using a strap harness under their jerseys which enables the players to pull each other along. The harness consists of a strap worn around the chest and underneath the jersey.

Advantage of Harness.

"When a man is carrying the ball two of the players get on either side of him and by catching hold of this strap from behind they can pull him along even after he is tackled. This makes it necessary to stop all the men who have a hold of the man who is carrying the ball, before he is stopped. This harness was used last Saturday by Iowa and several times when players attempted to get hold of the strap they merely caught the jersey, which was torn clear off of the player. There is nothing in the rules against this and I don't know of any way to stop it."

CHARITY WORKERS HERE HONOR E. W. STEPHENS

He is Chosen Head of Organization Which Calls Poverty Disease.

E. W. Stephens was elected president of the Charity Organization Society of Columbia, at the annual meeting last evening in the chapel of the Presbyterian church. The election of officers was for the year beginning Nov. 1.

The other officers elected were: Vice-president, G. B. Rollins; secretary, the Rev. H. P. Horton; treasurer, W. K. Bayless; investigating agent, U. R. Hertig, and the following board of directors: W. K. Bayless, the Rev. C. M. Bishop, Prof. L. M. Defoe, the Rev. W. W. Elwang, Prof. C. A. Ellwood, the Rev. M. A. Hart, Prof. B. F. Hoffman, the Rev. H. P. Horton, Prof. A. O. Lovejoy, F. P. Miller, Mrs. W. McN. Miller, the Rev. Father Lloyd, Dr. T. J. Riley, G. B. Rollins, Mrs. G. B. Rollins, E. W. Stephens, Mrs. A. H. Shepard, Prof. E. H. Schorer, the Rev. M. L. Thomas and G. W. Trimble.

A committee of six members was appointed to raise \$250 to cover the deficit of last year, and to meet the expenses for the coming year.

The officers made their annual reports, showing a systematic study of charity. The society proceeds from the standpoint that poverty is a disease, and therefore should be treated accordingly.

William F. Switzer Hurt.

William F. Switzer, son of Irvin Switzer, registrar of the University of Missouri, was cut on the forehead and bruised in the collision of his carriage with a street car in St. Louis last night. He was going to a theater with Miss Frances Jones, daughter of Police Commissioner Jones. She suffered severely from nervous shock. Mr. Switzer is credit manager of the Mechanics-American National Bank of St. Louis.



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